

AMENDMENTS TO CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A ~~multifactorial~~ transmission-exchange device for storing media, said device ~~is being~~ provided in a main body thereof with a reading disk for reading compact disks, a silicon disk insertion cassette, a circuit ~~plate~~ board, two applied chip sets, a microprocessing unit and a transmission interface, wherein:

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said main body has a receiving chamber to receive said ~~members listed above~~ reading disk, silicon disk insertion cassette, circuit board, applied chip sets, and microprocessing unit, and is provided on the surface thereof with an insertion slot for compact disk and a silicon disk insertion slot, so that said reading disk for reading compact disks and said silicon disk insertion cassette are placed into corresponding positions in said main body; and said compact disk as well as said silicon disk are placed respectively into said reading disk for compact disks and said silicon disk insertion cassette;

said circuit ~~plate~~ board is provided in the receiving space of said main body, said applied chip sets and said microprocessing unit are provided thereon[[]], ~~while and~~ said transmission interface is connected at the rear of said main body, and wherein said transmission-exchange device has two modes of operation:

(i) an independent use mode, in which by operation of said circuit ~~plate~~ board, said chip sets and said microprocessing unit, direct data exchange between said compact disk and said silicon disk ~~can be~~ is executed; and

(ii) a host computer connection mode in which, when said transmission interface is connected with a host computer ~~mainframe system~~, data exchange and reading/writing among a hard disk of said host computer ~~mainframe system~~, said compact disk and said silicon disk is performed.

2. (Currently Amended) A ~~multifactorial~~ transmission-exchange device for ~~storing~~ storage media as stated in claim 1, wherein,

said silicon disk insertion cassette meets several sizes of ~~the~~ specifications ~~including those~~ ~~of~~ for memory cards selected from the group consisting of CF, PCMCIA (PC Card), SMC, MMC, MS or SD memory cards.

3. (Currently Amended) A ~~multifactorial~~ transmission-exchange device for ~~storing~~ storage media as stated in claim 1, wherein,

Q1 said reading disk for reading compact disks functions as a read only CD-ROM player, a read and write CD-ROM player and a Combo player.

4. (Currently Amended) A ~~multifactorial~~ transmission-exchange device for ~~storing~~ storage media as stated in claim 1, wherein said transmission interface is a USB interface, a 1394 interface or an IDE/ATAPI interface.

5. (Currently Amended) A ~~multifactorial~~ transmission-exchange device for ~~storing~~ storage media as stated in claim 1, wherein said main body is provided with a power supplying unit to supply power for operation, said main body is also being provided on ~~the~~ external surfaces thereof with ~~appropriate~~ operating units in favor of operation to enable a user to control the device for independent operation.

6. (Currently Amended) A ~~multifactorial~~ transmission-exchange device for ~~storing~~ storage media as stated in claim 1, wherein said power supplying unit is a power line or a storage battery.